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The Turkmenistan Ministry of Foreign Affairs notified embassy September 5 via diplomatic note of the intent of the Government of Turkmenistan to support the "U.S. Government-proposed candidacy," as outlined to the Ministry per reftel request, to the U.N. Human Rights Committee during election September 7. The Ministry supplied no additional feedback in its notice to the embassy.

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